

## **Ottawa Heart Support Group**

(Health, Education, Activity, Research, Targets)

## Monday April 16, 2018

7:30 - 9:00 pm

**Guest Speaker:** Benjamin Rotstein, PhD

**Topic:** An Introduction to Molecular Imaging with PET

Benjamin Rotstein, PhD, is Assistant Professor in the Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Ottawa and Director of the Molecular Imaging Probes and Radiochemistry Laboratory at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute.



Dr. Rotstein obtained his BSc from Dalhousie University and the University of King's College, Halifax, NS, and his PhD in Organic Chemistry from University of Toronto. His doctoral research focused on the reactivity of amphoteric molecules and their applications in macrocyclization of peptides. He then pursued postdoctoral training in radiochemistry and molecular imaging at Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital, where he was promoted to faculty in 2015.

**OUR MEETING LOCATION IS:** The University of Ottawa Heart Institute

40 Ruskin Street, Ottawa, ON 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foustanellas Auditorium

The Ottawa Heart Support Group is an active group of heart patients who meet and wish to improve the quality of life for themselves and their families. We meet on the third Monday of each month, with the hope of helping others. We share experiences and aim to improve awareness and understanding of various heart conditions. Our objective is to reduce the fear, anxiety, and emotional stress that can often result from having a serious health problem. Our focus is on developing positive attitudes and enjoying life to the fullest. We pursue these objectives at our informal, monthly meetings with interesting and informative speaker as well as other heart-related activities. We welcome new members, their family and friends.

Ruskin Street Parking is free after 7:00 p.m.

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